

## Abstract

5 A mixture Ia comprises a mix IIa composed of

a) from 1 to 95% by weight of a solid III, preferably a basic solid III, with a primary particle size of from 5 nm to 20  $\mu$ m and

10 b) from 5 to 99% by weight of a polymeric composition IV, obtainable by polymerizing

b1) from 5 to 100% by weight, based on the composition IV, of a condensation product V of

15  $\alpha$ ) at least one compound VI which is capable of reacting with a carboxylic acid or with a sulfonic acid or with a derivative or a mixture of two or more of these, and

$\beta$ ) at least 1 mol per mole of the compound VI of a carboxylic acid or sulfonic acid VII which has at least one functional group capable of free-radical polymerization, or of a derivative thereof or of a mixture of two or more thereof

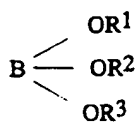
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and

b2) from 0 to 95% by weight, based on the composition IV, of another compound VIII with an average molecular weight (number average) of  
25 at least 5000 having polyether segments in its main or side chain

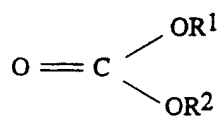
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at least one ester of the formula (E1) to (E5)



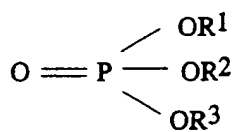
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(E1)

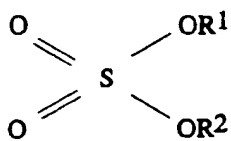


(E2)

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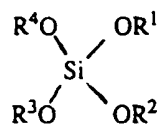


(E3)



(E4)

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(E5)

where each of R<sup>1</sup>, R<sup>2</sup>, R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> is identical with or different from the others  
5 and, independently of the others, is linear or branched-chain C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl  
(-CH<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>2</sub>-O)<sub>n</sub>-CH<sub>3</sub>, where n is from 1 to 3, C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-cycloalkyl or an aromatic  
hydrocarbon group which may in turn be substituted, with the proviso that at  
least one of the groups R<sup>1</sup>, R<sup>2</sup>, R<sup>3</sup> or R<sup>4</sup> is (-CH<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>2</sub>-O)<sub>n</sub>-CH<sub>3</sub>, where n is from  
1 to 3.